



Bluffton Police Department

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Accidental Gun Shot Wound

Who:

15-year-old male

What:

Shot himself accidentally

Where:

Pine Ridge Subdivision

When:

April 29, 2016

Bluffton Police detectives are investigating an accidental shooting that occurred Friday, April 29, 2016 just before 6 p.m. in the Pine Ridge Subdivision.

Police arrived to Pine Ridge to find a 15-year-old on a sidewalk with a gunshot wound to his leg. Police learned he had shot himself, accidentally, while sitting inside his home.

The gun is owned by the 15-year-olds father.

This investigation is ongoing.

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